

To the Leodun Urban Council

Jan'y 28. 1901
Leodun

Gentlemen

I beg to report that during the year 1900 there have been registered in the Leodun Urban District:-

79 Births, 40 boys 39 girls making a Birth rate of 24.7 per 1000 of the population, and 67 Deaths, of wh: 36 were in persons over 65 years of age, 15 over 70 12 over 80 and 2 over 90 years of age.

The total Death rate has been 19.9 per 1000, but if the 75 deaths in non-residents be deducted, it is only 16.2, as against an average of 17.7 in the 4 previous years -

There has been a marked & satisfactory decrease in the deaths under 14 years of age only 3 having occurred as against an average of 11 in the 4 previous years -

The chief causes of death were Phthisis 10, Pneumonia & Bronchitis 6, Heart Disease 6, Diphtheria 5, Influenza 3 & Cancer 3 -

There have been notified to me during
the year 14 cases of Scarlet fever -
7 of Diphtheria & 4 of Erysipelas -
In all of which cases the premises have
been duly inspected & defects remedied
& disinfection carried out -
In consequence of the defective ventilation
in the Boys' Board school, I recommended
that this should be remedied & Kyles's
system of ventilation has been adopted
by the School Board.

I am happy to report that the Sanitary
in connection with the Sewage works
are acting very satisfactorily -

The Haughty houses, Bakeries, &
Lodging houses have been regularly
visited & generally found in a satis-
faction condition -

I am yrs obediently

Macdonald

M.S.H.